

## Senate Resolution 881

By: Senators Hamrick of the 30th and Heath of the 31st

## A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing and commending the Delta Team of the Paulding County High School JROTC  
2 Raider Regiment; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, members of the Paulding County High School JROTC Raider Regiment have  
4 a reputation in the community and throughout this state for strength, determination, and  
5 dedication; and

6 WHEREAS, in November, 2009, the Raider Regiment's Delta team earned the title of 2009  
7 National Champions, competing against 56 teams to win the top spot in the country and bring  
8 the male championship title back to Georgia for the first time in the competition's history;  
9 and

10 WHEREAS, the Delta team, which consists of all males, competed in five events over the  
11 weekend to emerge victorious: Strength Test, Rope Bridge, Gauntlet, Cross Country Rescue,  
12 and Three-Mile Team Run; and

13 WHEREAS, finishing first in the Rope Bridge event with a time of two minutes and 11  
14 seconds and the Strength Test with a combined score of 1522, the Delta team demonstrated  
15 their great agility and speed; and

16 WHEREAS, the team's endurance and perseverance impressed both their competitors and  
17 spectators as they finished the Gauntlet event in 14 minutes and 31 seconds, the Cross  
18 Country Rescue in eight minutes and 52 seconds, and the Three-Mile Team Run in 30  
19 minutes and 32 seconds; and

20 WHEREAS, the phenomenal performances of Chase Aviles, Allen Blankinship, Connor  
21 Dalton, James Houle, Jarrett Houston, Robbie Lockwood, Michael Martin, Chris Mulliford,  
22 Caleb Neely, Larry Shead, Carson White, and Jared Worley are a clear indication of the

23 outstanding athletic ability, the dedication and hard work, and the unity of purpose and spirit  
24 of each member of the team; and

25 WHEREAS, under the astute direction of their coach, CSM Joe T. Hill, the Paulding County  
26 High School JROTC Raider Regiment have earned their well-deserved reputation for  
27 excellence; and

28 WHEREAS, these magnificent cadets performed with precision during their events and serve  
29 as exceptional role models for all students in the State of Georgia.

30 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body  
31 commend the Delta Team of the Paulding County High School JROTC Raider Regiment for  
32 its outstanding achievements and extend their sincere best wishes for continued success in  
33 the future.

34 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed  
35 to submit appropriate copies of this resolution to the Delta Team of the Paulding County  
36 High School JROTC Raider Regiment.